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EMPLOYMENT TO MINORTIES
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the ratio of minorities especially Muslims being provided employment by employment exchanges has declined;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor, State-wise; and

(c) the details of recruitment of minorities especially Muslims made through such employment exchange during each of the last three years and thereafter till date, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES)

(a): Placement effected through employment exchanges in respect of minority communities as a whole and Muslims,in particular, as on 31st December for the years 2003,2004 and 2005 (latest available) is given below:

(in thousands)

Year	Placement of job seekers of all categories exchanges	Placement of job seekers of minority communities effected through employment	
		Total	Muslims
2003	154.9	9.8	4.5
2004	132.6	8.3	5.0
2005	173.2	8.6	3.8

(b): Employment Exchanges sponsor the candidates against the vacancies notified to them by the employers. Employers in turn, shortlist the candidates as per their requirement and issue interview letters to them for making selection.

(c): Statewise details of placement effected through the employment exchanges for the last three years are given in the Annex.